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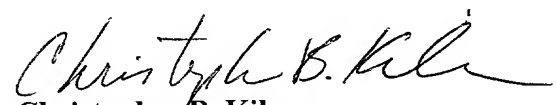
Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Utility Specification (37 pages, 2 independent claims);
2. Formal drawings (5 numbered figures, 5 sheets);
3. One check in the amount of \$370.00; and,
4. Certificate of Express mailing.

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